PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

e the Application of

Chikashi SATOU et al.

Group Art Unit: 3683

Application No.: 09/987,982

Examiner:

X. Nguyen

Filed: November 16, 2001

Docket No.:

110811

For:

RANGE SHIFT DISPLAY UNIT AND RANGE

MAIL STOP RCE

SHIFT DISPLAY METHOD

LARGE ENTITY REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.114, Applicants hereby request continued examination.

Applicants further request entry and consideration of the attached Amendment.

The above-identified application was filed on or after June 8, 1995. Thus, entry is proper under 37 C.F.R. §1.114(d).

Attached hereto is our check no. 153427 in the amount of \$\infty\$ \$770.00 as payment of the fees set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this page are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted.

Small entity status of this application has been established.

The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)	
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	
TOTAL CLAIMS	*32 MINUS	**20	=12	
INDEP CLAIMS	*3 MINUS	***3	=0	
☐ FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				

SMALL ENTITY			
	ADD'L		
RATE_	FEE		
x 9	\$		
x 43	\$		
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OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY				
OR.	RATE	ADD'L FEE		
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	x 86	\$		
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		\$ 216		

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Check No. 153428 in the amount of \$216 is attached. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees that may be required to complete this filing, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this sheet are attached.

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